1. Dr. Donald Hickey, Prof of History, Wayne State College (dohicke1@wsc.edu)

Some books: *The War of 1812: A Forgotten Conflict (1989)* Excellent overall history of the war *Don't Give up the Ship: Myths of the War of 1812 (2006)*Many articles and writings on the War of 1812

2. Dr. J.C.A. Stagg, Editor, Papers of James Madison, University of Virginia

Major book: *Mr. Madison's War: Politics, Diplomacy, and Warfare in the Early American Republic*, 1783-1830. Overall discussion of politics of war in the War of 1812, Madison, etc.

3. Dr. Gene Allen Smith, Prof of History, Texas Christian University (will speak at VHS Sept 4).

Books: The Slaves Gamble: Choosing Sides in the War of 1812 (2013) African-American choices in the War.

4. Dr. Alan Taylor, Prof of History, University of California (Davis), soon to be at University of Virginia

Books: The Civil War of 1812: American Citizens, British Subjects, Irish Rebels & Indian Allies (2010) War in Canada and American frontier.

Forthcoming in Sept 2013: *The Internal Enemy: Slavery and War in Virginia, 1775-1832*, African Americans from Rev to Nat Turner's Rebellion.

- 5. Steve Vogel, *Through the Perilous Fight, Six Weeks that Saved the Nation* (2013) concerns Washington and Baltimore Campaigns. See www.throughtheperilousfight.com (also have his personal email)
- 6. Ralph Eshelman, *The War of 1812 in the Chesapeake* (2011) excellent survey of historical sites in VA, MD, and DC during the War of 1812. Lives in Lusby, MD (have his email address)
- 7. Stephen Budiansky, *Perilous Fight: America's Intrepid War with Britain on the High Seas, 1812-1815* (2012) America's Naval war with Great Britain on the oceans. (www.budiansky.com) Lives in Leesburg, VA
- 8. Dr. Troy Bickham, *The Weight of Vengeance: The United States, The British Empire, and the War of 1812 (2012)*, Texas A&M University.
- 9. Spencer C. Tucker, Injured Honor: The Chesapeake-Leopard Affair, June 22, 1807 (1996)
- 10. Holly S. Shulman, David B. Mattern, *The Selected Letters of Dolley Payne Madison*, (2003) All about Dolley published by UVA Press.
- 11. Harlow Giles Unger, *The Last Founding Father, James Monroe and a Nation's Call for Greatness*. (2012)
- 12. Dr. Michael Crawford, Naval Heritage Command, Washington D.C. Editor of the *Naval War of 1812:* A Documentary History, 3 vols, 4th by 2014.
- 13. Glen F. Williams, historian of the future U.S. Army Historical Museum at Fort Belvoir.
- 14. Stuart L. Butler, *Defending the Old Dominion: Virginia and its Militia in the War of 1812* (2012) Virginia's militia and state government in the war.